



OFFICE OF THE CITY CLERK

November 1, 2005 General Municipal Election Information

Date of Election: **General:** Tuesday, November 01, 2005
Runoff: Tuesday, November 15, 2005 –if necessary

Offices and Incumbents:	Term of Office
Mayor: David Dermer	Two (2) years
Group I Jose Smith (Term Limited)	Four (4) years
Group II Saul Gross	Four (4) years
Group III Richard L. Steinberg	Four (4) years

Salary: **Mayor** - \$10,000 per year and \$6,000 vehicle allowance = \$16,000
Commissioner - \$6,000 per year and \$6,000 vehicle allowance = \$12,000

Qualifying Period: **Date:** Tuesday, September 6, 2005 through Friday, September 9, 2005
Hours: 8:30 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.
Where: Miami Beach City Hall, First Floor, City Clerk's Office

Qualifying Fee: **Mayor** - \$1,360 **Commissioner** – \$1,020
(7.5%, see Charter 6.03, of salary of office candidate seeks, plus 1.0% State Assessment)

NOTE: Campaign account must be opened before qualifying. The qualifying fee ***MUST*** be paid by a check drawn on the candidate's campaign account. **Prior to qualifying as a candidate for Mayor or City Commissioner**, it will be necessary for each candidate to go to the Police Station, 1100 Washington Avenue, for the purpose of being fingerprinted and photographed as required by Article VI, Section 6.03 of the City Charter.

Qualifying by Petition:

Petition in lieu of qualifying fee shall be filed with the City Clerk no later than the second day for qualifying as a candidate for such office. Petition approving his/her candidacy must be signed by sufficient qualified and registered voters to constitute not less than 2% of the number of voters as the same shall be on the date sixty (60) days prior to the first day of qualifying as a candidate for office.

If you have any questions, please contact Robert Parcher, Miami Beach City Clerk at (305) 673-7411.